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Applicant: James W. Kenney

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Examiner: Michael Kocz Jr.

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


Dear Sir:

## REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Office Action, mailed June 17, 2005, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application in view of the following remarks.

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